

***RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2624***

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of

**Raoul FLORENT**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 9, 2008, of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-20.

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